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Marian McDonald Installed New Queen of Job's Daughters

Miss Marian McDonald, 16, was installed last Saturday evening, June 9, as the honored queen of Bethel 50, Job's Daughters at ceremonies conducted at the Torrance Masonic Temple. Theme of the evening was "Friendship Garden."

The new honored queen, who succeeds Miss Donna Pat Wolf as head of the organization, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard McDonald, 1626 Beech avenue.

Other posts held by Miss McDonald include presidency of the Girls' Athletic Association at Torrance High School, secretaryships of the Scholarship Society and the Tri-Y and member of the Tarta Ladies, Thespians and the Tartar Theatre Guild.

Other officers Bethel installed were Mary Ann Lenton, senior princess; Ann Olson, junior princess; Ann Marie Bishop, guide; and Carol Campbell, marshal.

Master of ceremonies for the evening was Arnold Mueller, senior warden of the Neptune Lodge, Long Beach. Installing officers included: Beverly Luster, Patricia Clere, Jo Ann Sandstrom, Joy Oursler, Dorothy Warning, Dorothy Sandstrom, Mrs. Ray Lougee and Martha Dunn. Reading was by Dora Ritko.

Following the installation of officers and the program, a reception for all guests was held.

Walteria P-TA Opens New Year With Board Meet

The first regular board meeting of Walteria P-T.A. for this new year will be held this (Thursday) evening, June 14th, at 8:00 p.m. in the school auditorium. Mrs. Glenn Hardcastle, president, will preside.

Plans are expected to get under way for the Halloween Carnival to be held this coming fall, under the supervision of Mrs. Bruce Howey, ways and means chairman.

Twenty-one members, officers, and chairmen recently attended the annual June Breakfast given by Torrance Council P-T.A. in Torrance. In an annual report given by Mrs. R. T. McNulty, junior past-president, it was noted that Walteria P-T.A. has had a very successful and fruitful past year.

Halldale Meeting Highlighted by Installation

Installation ceremonies highlighted the Wednesday morning meeting of the Halldale P.T.A. Using a boat theme, Mrs. Don Wolf, president of Lomita - San Pedro Council, installed the officers for the coming year.

Those who will serve on the board next year are: Mrs. C. C. DeVore, president; Mrs. John Blackmon, first vice president; Mrs. Amanda Bonwell, second vice president; Mrs. O. E. Robinson, recording secretary; Mrs. W. A. McAllister, financial secretary; Mrs. H. T. Unander, treasurer; Mrs. Fred Schimmel, auditor, and Mrs. W. C. Sidwell, historian.

Following the installation, Mrs. M. D. Hiebert read a brief history of the years activities to the group, and Mrs. C. C. DeVore presented a record book of the years achievements to Mrs. E. M. Bernardin, retiring president.

Depressions Eliminated in Torrance

A positive cure for depressions was suggested today and proven by a man from this city. The gentleman in question, Jack Vinik, pointed out that he had been overcoming depressions for years and there are many people who will attest to his method.

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Tuesday is Meet Date of Gold Star Mothers

Torrance Chapter of American Gold Star Mothers will meet Tuesday evening, June 19th, at 8 p.m., in the American Legion Hall in Redondo Beach. In the absence of the President, Mrs. Edith Erbe of Gardena, Mrs. Cleo Barnett of Torrance will preside.

Mrs. Erbe is recovering from an operation and is in the Good Samaritan Hospital in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Phyllis Hamilton, of Lomita, a member of the American Gold Star National Chorus and delegate to the National Convention of the American Gold Star Mothers in Washington from a local chapter, arrived home Sunday evening, June 10th, from the convention.

Arizona Setting for Ratzlaff-King Marriage

Yuma, Arizona was the setting Tuesday, June 5 for the marriage of Vance Ratzlaff, of Walteria and Miss Frances King, formerly of Lomita.

Ratzlaff is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ven Ratzlaff, Las Codonas street, Walteria, and the grandson of Mrs. Jeanette King, 2221 Dolores street, Torrance.

The young couple returned to the Walteria home Wednesday, June 6 only to leave soon after for San Diego where the groom is a member of a rescue unit in Jet Fighter Squadron 51, stationed at North Island. Ratzlaff enlisted in the United States Navy less than a year ago.

His brother, Curtis, is in the Navy Air Force, stationed at Okinawa. He has been there for nearly a year, according to his grandmother, Mrs. King.

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News from Torrance Royal Neighbor Camp

The Past Oracles Club of the Royal Neighbors Camp of Torrance, held their annual get-together meeting and dinner at the Knott's Berry Farm, Saturday, June 9th, with the following reporting a very delightful time: Mesdames Bertha Alcorn, Mary Schroder, Vertie Grimm, Mary Conner, Marie Bankston, Hazel Hutton, Mary Baker, Martha Cooper, Angeline Disario and Louise Walker.

GUEST ORACLES
 The Royal Neighbor camp met in regular session June 5th in the Woman's Clubhouse on Engracia avenue with the Oracle, Mrs. Vertie Grimm, presiding. The District Deputy, Mrs. Mamie Kirschner of Culver City and the Oracle of the Culver City Camp, Mrs. Mae Rigner being the guest of honor. Plans were made at this time to hold the regular card party on June 19th, and Mrs. Rose Shepherd will be the chairman of the evening.

Mrs. Lottie Phillips of Andro Avenue and Mrs. Lulu B. Doane of Harbor City were reported somewhat improved over recent sickness.

ROUND-UP
 On June 22nd, the regular monthly Round-Up of the Camps in the South Bay area will be held in Inglewood. A large number of members are planning on attending this grand affair.

Young Torrance Matron Honored at Local Shower

Mrs. Jack Baker of Torrance was honored at an enjoyable shower in the Manhattan Beach home of Mrs. F. A. Covington, Thursday, June 7th.

Beautiful gifts were presented in a basket of yellow and green. Appropriate games were played and prizes presented to the winners. Mrs. Bob Haggard of Torrance and Mrs. Julia Airla of Wilmington, Mrs. Covington served refreshments from a table decorated in yellow and green.

Grand Master To Visit Here

Gene J. Banchi, Grand Master of the Independent Order of the Odd Fellows and his staff will visit the local Odd Fellows Camp 195 8 p. m., June 15, at 400 South Broadway, Redondo Beach according to Boce E. Cline, publicity chairman.

With jurisdiction in California, Grand Master Banchi makes his official visit here once in seven years. He will visit all seven lodges in South Bay area district.

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